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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL <small>Only for new non-provisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))</small>	Attorney Docket No. 09782903-563
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4. <input type="checkbox"/> Incorporation By Reference (usable if Box 3b is checked) The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 3b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.		12. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Certified copy of Japanese priority document No. P2001-051611 filed February 27, 2001.	

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Attorney Docket No. 09792909-5353

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Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.41(c), I am filing the attached application, including 16 claims (4 independent), 7 sheets of drawings (Figs. 1-8) and the filing fee of \$824.00 on behalf of

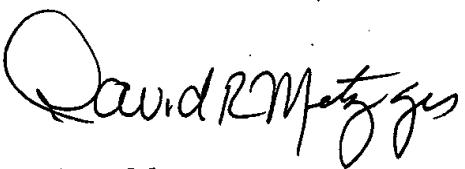
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and request that the application be assigned a serial number and filing date pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) and 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d).

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